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G.O. NO.	3811
Dated	22-8-51

FOR MYSORE STATE

[Despatch Abstract.]

Mines. M.L. Iron ore (Bellary) ~~Hospet~~
taluk - Jambunathanahalli Vide Govt. 11 etc
Extent 140-23 acres. Grant to Sri.
Chennappa - Sanctioned

Gadigi Mining Company

THIMMURGUDI MINES
LUKSHMI MINES.

Head Office:

GADIGI. BUILDINGS. BELLARY.

THIMMURGUDI SIDING.

Date 9th February 1950.

From:
Gadigi Channappa,
Sole Proprietor of the 'Gadigi Mining Co.
'Gadigi Buildings' Bellary.

To
The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Development Department,
MADRAS.

Sub: Mineral Concessions Rules 1949 - Grant of Mining lease for 30 years in respect of Ac.470-0 in Shrotniem Sankalapuram, Hospet Taluk.

Sir,

Enclosed I submit an application in the form prescribed by the latest rules.

2 In this connection, I beg to submit that I obtained at my own expense the consent of the Head of a Mutt who owns all interest in the said lands and deposited security called for according to Rules then in force.

3 The tentative agreement of 25-1-1949 recites in the preamble that the agreement is made "in view of the fact that the execution of the formal lease is likely to take sometime" and I understood that Government had ordered issue of the lease and the execution and registration only had to be completed. On this basis, I invested more than Rs.60,000/-, engaged labour on a large scale and won and stored on the land about 15000 to 20000 tons of iron ore. My representative is busy pressing the Railway Board to lay a siding from the mines to the main line about 2 miles from Hospet (trunk line between Guntakal and Hubli) and is ready and willing to deposit Rs.50,000/- or more on that account.

4 The order of the Government communicated to me

in Collector's Ref. C.No.926/49-A1 dated 31-1-1950 comes as a surprise and puts me to considerable difficulties and financial loss. Further the demand for this quality of ore in the foreign market is likely to cease soon and stoppage of work at this crucial stage will have the effect of ruining the mines as a source of revenue to Government as also this will result in huge financial loss to me as I have entered into contract with foreign markets within a specified period.

5 I am aware of Clause 6 of the agreement. But I beg to point out that it is against and inequitable to deprive me of the promised lease after I incurred such heavy expense in labour and money. I have not committed any manner of default in carrying on the agreement and Government is not justified in revoking its previous orders abruptly.

6 I therefore pray

(i) that immediate orders may be issued permitting me to resume work;

(ii) that the lease already sanctioned in my favour may be completed as soon as possible.

I remain,

Sir,

Yours faithfully,

G. Chamaffa

9/2/50

Enclosures:-

1. Application form for the Iron mining lease.

2. Areas noted in a separate sheet.

Copy to the District Collector, Bellar

DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT
16 FEB 1950
ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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44/2/3 Memo No. 13384 J/50-1 dated 1.3.50

11/1880 1.3.50

Sub: Mines - Mining lease - (Bellary) - Iron ore - Hospet Taluk - Sanklapuram Shotriem.

Ref: 1. From M/s Gadige Mining Company No. Nil dated 9.2.50

A copy of the letter cited together with enclosures is referred to the Collector of Bellary for remarks.

He is requested to state whether the Shotriem applied for has been taken over by the Govt under the Zamindari Abolition Act and if not, the nature of the tenure of the land applied.

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may be stated

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25.2.50

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To

The Collector of
Bellary
(With a copy
of H 1-2 Ct
H 79 Ct)
Copy to ~~Rs~~ of file

TO A.S

Please see the letter at H 1-2 Ct
may be perused. The applicant
company refers to certain proceedings
of the Collector. It is not known.
what orders were passed by him
and whether any case is admissible
at all if the lands does not
belong to the Govt. The Collector

Exam on 5/4/50
10.5.50

Revenue Department.

From
Sri.G.Rami Reddi,B.A.,
Collector,Bellary.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Devl.Department, Madras.

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The Secretary to the Board of Rev.
Chepauk, Madras.

Rc.No.2487/50.A1. dated 10.4.1950.

Sir,

Subject:- Mines-Mining lease (BELLARY) - Iron Ore-Hospet taluk - Sanklapur Shrotrium etc., villages - grant of application of Sri.Gadigi.Chennappa of Bellary.

Reference: Government Memorandum No.13384.J.50.1. dated, 1.3.1950.

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Sri. G. Chennappa, Mine Owner, Bellary, has applied for a lease to mine Iron Ore in the areas mentioned below for a period of 30 years, under Rule 27 of the Mineral Concessional Rules, 1949:-

Name of the village.	S.No.	Extent. Acres	Cents.	
(1) 96. Jambunathana Halli.	11	7	50	
	113	2	10	A-C
	114 (Part)	74	00	163 60
	115.B(Part)	80	00	
(2) 72. Kariganur.	192	492	00	
(3) 73. Shro: Sanklapur.	Forest area:	282	67	
.do.	Unsurveyed Block.	470	00	
	Grand Total:	1408	27	

The application is in order.

He has credited Rs.200 and Rs.500 in Chalan Nos. 688 and 689 dated 13.2.1950 of Bellary Sub Treasury towards fees and preliminary expenses respectively as required by Rules 28 and 29 of the said rules.

2. The facts of the case are briefly those as follows:-

Sri.G.Chennappa had applied for the grant of a prospecting licence to prospect for and mine iron ore over an extent of 1635 acres in Jambunathanahalli, Kariganur, and Shro.Sanklapuram villages in Hospet taluk in the year 1948. Out of this area, an extent of 470 acres in Shro: Sanklapuram village, was put in his possession on his executing a tentative agreement on 25.1.1949, under Rule 16.A. of the Madras Mining Manual, as it was unobjectionable and as it was considered that some time would be required to grant prospecting licence; but before the particulars required for the grant of prospecting licence could be collected, the Mineral Concession Rules, 1949, came into force. The applicant was, therefore, instruct

instructed to apply according to those concessions (Board's Reference No.L.Dis.C.653/49. dated 22.11.1949).

As regards the tentative agreement executed on 25.1.1949, the applicant was asked to stop the mining operations forthwith in accordance with the instructions contained in Government Memorandum No.122984/J/49.2. dated 12.1..1950 communicated with Board's Proceedings Routine No.393 dated 23.1.1950 as the Govt. thought that the agreement did not in any way prevent them from refusing the prospecting licence and resume the same area. He was, therefore, asked to submit a fresh application under the Mineral Concession Rules, 1949.

3. The applicant has now applied for the lease for 30 years and has credited the requisite fees as detailed in para 1 supra.

He reports that he has invested more than Rs.60,000/- engaged labourm on a large scale and worked and stored about 15,000 to 20,000 tons of iron ore in view of the recital in the preamble of the agreement and as he understood that the lease had been issued and the execution and registration alone remained to be completed. In this connection I invite the attention of the Government to para 6 of the agreement executed on 25.1.1949 (a copy of which is enclosed), according to which, Government are not bound to grant the applicant the licence applied for or to give him any preference to any matter concerning the plot or the mineral referred to in the agreement. The applicant cannot, therefore, claim as a matter of right the grant of either a licence or a lease. Out of the area now applied for by him (paral above), the area covered by S.No.115.B. and S.No.192 of Jambunathanahalli and Karigamur villages are forest Reserve and I am calling for the opinion of the District Forest Officer on the objectionability or otherwise of granting lease over said area to the applicant to work the mines and shall submit my report on receipt of his report.

As regards the forest area covered by an extent of 286.67 acres, and the unsurveyed dry of 470acres applied for by the applicant in 73 Shro: Sankarapuram village, I Submit that in as much as the Shro: village has not yet been taken over by the Government under the Abolition Act 1948, an area of 470 acres at the disposal of the Shrotriumdar may be given on lease in accordance with the Rules contained in Chapter V of the Mineral Concession Rules, 1949 - I request orders on this point.

As regards an extent of 286.67 acres, I am asking the Tahsildar, Hospet, to report if the area is at the disposal of the Government or the Shrotriumdar - On hearing from him, I shall submit a further report.

4. The enclosures received with Government Memorandum cited are above/re-submitted.

hrs/10.4.1950.

Collector.

Copy to the Secretary to Government, Development Department, Fort.St.George, Madras.

Revenue Department.
Subject.

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Mining - M.L. - Iron Ore - (Bellary) - Hospet Tk. - Sanklapur Shrotrium etc., villages - Grant of - Application of Sri Gadigi Chennappa of Bellary - Submitted -

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Madras. Bd's Ref.L.2630/50-1. Dated:- 25-4-1950.

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Sri N. C. Thomas, B. A.,
Joint Secretary, Board of Revenue.

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Sri V. N. Kudva, I.C.S.,
Commissioner of Commercial Taxes.

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Read:- Government Memo.No.13384 J/50-1, Dev., dated 1-3-1950.
From the Collector of Bellary, No.Rc.2487/50 A1, dated 10-4-1950.

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REFERENCE:--

Submitted to the Government with reference to the Government Memorandum cited above.

for Joint Secretary.

To The Secretary to Government, Development Department, Madras.
with encls.

rm.25/4.

THIS AGREEMENT made this 25th Day of January One thousand Nine hundred and forty nine - Between Gadigi.Chennappa son of Gadigi.Gurubasappa alias Veera bhadrappa residing at Bellary (hereinafter called "the applicant", which expression where the context admits shall include his heirs, executors, administrators and legal representatives) of the one part AND THE COLLECTOR OF BELLARY (hereinafter called "the Collector", which expression where the context admits shall include his successors in office) of the other part.

WHEREAS the applicant has applied for the grant of a licence over the plot of parcel of land more particularly described in the Schedule hereto of the approximate extent of 470 acres - cents bounded by* of 73 Shro: Sanklapuram village,Hospet Taluk, Bellary District for working Iron Ore manganese (Hereinafter called "the mineral",). AND WHEREAS in view of the fact that the execution of the formal lease is likely to take some time the applicant has requested the Collector to allow him to enter upon the plot mentioned above and work in same for the mineral pending the execution of the licence and the Collector has agreed to allow him to enter upon the land and to search for win, work,get raise, (convert) and carry away the mineral subject to the terms and conditions herein after appearing.

NORTH:Village boundary of Jambunathanahalli and Sanklapuram area.
SOUTH:-Village boundry of Kariganur and Sanklapuram area.
EAST: S.Nos.8 and 9.A. Shanklapuram.
WEST:-Sanklapuram area.

NOW THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSETH:

(1) The Applicant shall have liberty and power to enter upon the plot of parcel of land more particularly mentioned in the schedule hereto with or without workmen and tools and thereto search for in work get raise (convert) and carry away the mineral and to do all other acts that may be necessary for such purpose.

(2) That the applicant has credited in chalan No.1211 of Bellary Sub Treasury on 21st Day of January 1949 a deposit with the Collector the sum of Rs.100/- as security for the due performance and observance by him of the several terms and conditions herein contained.

(3) That the applicant shall within 3 months from the date of these presents start mining operations in the said lands to the satisfaction of the Collector and shall thereafter at all times during the continuance of these presents search for win,work; and develop

develop the said mineral without voluntary intermission in the skilful and workmanlike manner and upon the most appro... p... ciples.

(4) The applicant shall as from the 25th Day of January 1949 during the subsistence of these presents ~~xxx~~ pay to the Collector revalty, dead-rent and surface rent at the following rates:-

(1) Royalty:2½% on the sale value at the pit's mouth.
(2) Licnce fee: Rs.29.6.0 at Re. 0.1.0 per acre.

(5) That the extent of the plot mentioned above is only approximate and the applicant shall not be entitled to claim the exact area mentioned but shall have a licence only such areas as may be notified by the Collector as available for the licence.

(6) That these presents do not in any way bind Government to grant to the applicant the licence applied for or to give him any preference to any matter concerning the above mentioned plot or the minoral referred to in this agreement.

(7) That in the event of the applicant being guilty of a breach or non-performance of any of the convenents or conditions herein contained it shall be lawful for the Collector at any time thereafter by a notice in writing to determine these presents, and to forfeit the whole or a portion of the security-deposit.

(8) That in the ovent of the dtermination of these presents by the Collector by virtue of the powers herein contained or in the event of the plot described in the schedule hereto not being available for the grant of a licence. The Collector or the Government of Madras shall not be liable to the Applicant for all or any loss of damage that the applicant may be put to or sustained by reason of any act done by him under these presents nor shall the Collector and or the Government of Madras be in any way liable to reimburse or repay to the applicant all any portion of the monies that may have been expended by the applicant in respect of works done or undertaken by the applicant by virtue of these presents.

IN WITNESS WHERE of Gadigi.Chennappa of Bellary and K.N. Anantaraman Esq.,I.C.S.,Collector of Bellary have hereto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written.

THE SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

~~Signed sealed and delivered by the above named in the presence of~~

(3)

Signed sealed and delivered by the above named in the presence of

Sd.K.N.Anantharaman.
25.1.1949.
Collector of Bellary.

Sd.D.Venkatesan,
Huzur Sheristdar - -
Collector's Office,
Bellary.

Signed sealed and delivered by the above named in the presence of:

Sd.G.Channappa.

H.Sreenivasa Rao,
Huzur 2nd.Clerk,
Collector's Office,
Bellary.

True Copy.

11/4/50

Dev. Dept(I)

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Memo No.13384 I/50-5 dated 20.2.50

Sub: Mines - Mining lease - Iron ore - (Bellary) - Hospet Taluk - Sankalapur am Shrotrium etc - Application of Sri G. Chennappa.

Ref: From Sri G. Chennappa No. Nil, dated 9.2.50.

Sri G. Chennappa is informed that his application dated 9.2.50. for a mining lease for iron ore over an extent of 163-60 acres in Jambunathanahalli and an extent of 492-00 acres in Kariganur villages, Hospect taluk Bellary district, has been received here on 16.2.50 and its receipt is hereby acknowledged under Rule 31 of the Mineral Concession Rules 1949.

2. A separate communication will be sent as regards the forest area of 282.67 acres in the Shrotrium Sankalapuram village.

3. As regards the unsurveyed block of 470 acres in Shrotrium Sankalapuram village the applicant has to apply to the Shrotriumdar for a lease (over the area mining) under the Rules contained in Chapter V of the Mineral Concession Rules 1949.

4. The applicant is also informed that the tentative agreement executed by him on 25.1.49 in respect of the 470 acres in Shrotrium Sankalapuram village is not binding now on the Govt., ~~to grant a lease~~ not only because of clause 6 of the agreement but also because of the fact that the Mineral Concession Rules, 1949 are now in force and under these rules the Govt. have no right to lease lands which are not at their disposal.

To
Sri G. Chennappa,
Gadigi Buildings,
Bellary

Copy to Collr. of Bellary
" to Board of Revenue.

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Memo No.13384 J/50- 6 dated 20-6-50

Sub: Mines - Mining lease (Bellary) - Iron ore - Hospet taluk - Sankalapuram Shrotrium.

Ref: Govt. Memo No. 13384 J/50-1 dated 1-3-50
From the Collector of Bellary Lr. No.2487/50 A.1 dated 10-4-50

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No. 5-7 c. ij

The Collr. of Bellary is requested to state when the further reports promised in his letter cited ~~xyx~~ may be expected.

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To
The Collr. of Bellary
Copy to Bd.of Rev.

(N.R. 5-7-50)

ER issued on 13.8.50
N.R. 3.9.50

13/8/50

From

Sri.G.Rami Reddi B.A.,
Collector,Bellary.

13384/50

To

The Secretary to Government
Dev.,Dept., Fort.,St.,George,
M a d r a s.

Ref.C. 2487/50 A.1 dated 29-6-50.

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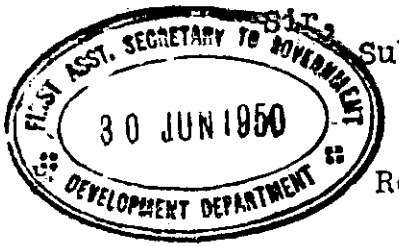
Sir,



Sub:- Mines - M.L.(Bellary) Iron ore - Hospet taluk - Sankalapuram shrotrium Application of Sri.Gadigi Chennappa

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Ref:- Govts. Memo 13384 J/50-6 dated 20-6-50 - F 16 abstract

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The District Forest Officer,Bellary has not sent his report yet in spite of two reminders. He is being reminded again to-day. I shall submit my report in about 15 days.

A.K. 29/6.

For Collector

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To, A.S.,

Dev. Dept.

Bellary Collr.'s interim report on
p(25) alone may be perused. His final reply
may be awaited till 30.7.50. The letter memo
30/7.50 on p. (2-3) (15) note may also be perused. A.S. has not seen this letter memo

N.A.
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DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT.

REMINDER ... Mines ... Branch.

15.11.50

To the Collector of Bellary

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I am directed to invite attention to Government Memorandum No. 13384 J/50-6 Dev dated 20-6-1950 and to request that the reply to it may be expedited with information as to -

(1) the stage at which the matter now is and

(2) the date by which a reply may be expected, ~~and~~

~~(3) the circumstances which have caused the delay.~~

Office. Development Dept.
Station; Fort St. George,
Madras.
Dated. 13.8. 1950.

K. Rangaswami
FOR ASST. SECY. TO GOVT.

Sub:-

Mines - Mining lease (Bellary) - Iron ore - Hospet Taluk - Sankalapuram Shrotrium.

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Rc/c No. 2487/50 A-1. Dt 1.9.50.

To

The Assistant Secy to Govt.

~~Fort~~ St George, Madras

Sir 2 SEP 1950 J/50.

The report of the 89510
Dy 2/9
District Forest Officer Bellary
has not been received.
I shall submit my reply
after it is received. He is
being reminded again for
an expeditious reply

Dy. Regl.

N.R. 29.9.50

For Collector
Bellary
1-9-50

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p 19 c.f

Dev I

Memo No. 13384 I/50-b dated 7-10-50

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Subj: Mines - Mining lease - (Bellary) - Iron Ore - Hospet taluk - Santalapuram Shrotrium - Applng Gadigi Chinnappa

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Ref: First Memo No. 13384 I/50-b Dev I dt 20.6.50 and Ex Reminder dated 13-8-50

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The Collector of Bellary is requested to state whether the report of the D.F.O. Bellary has been received and if so when this reply to the Memo cited may be expected

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Dev I

TO
The Coll. of Bellary
D. 29.x.50

E.R. received on 1/50.
N.R. on 23/11/50.

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Memo No. 13384 J/50-7 dt 11-12-50

Sub:- Mins - Mining lease (Beltary) - Iron ore - Hospet taluk - Sankalapuram Shrotriem - Affdn. of Sri. Chinnappa

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Ref:- Govt Memo No. 13384 J/50-6 dt 20.6.50 and reminder dt 7.10.50 and 3.11.50

p 16 above — p 21 above + final wng L

The Board of Revenue is requested to state when its reply to the memo cited may be expected

Sd/- 10/12 Asst 10/12/50

Sd/- 11/12

To The Bd (plw) Sd/- 19/12 Bd 3.1.51

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Subject.

Mining- Mining lease- Iron ore- (Bellary)- Hospet Taluk- Sanklapur Shirotrium etc.- Villages- Grant of- Application of Sri Godigi Chennappa of Bellary- Report- Submitted.

Ref. L. 2630/50-4 Dated 28-12-50.

GOVT. OF MADRAS SECRETARIAT 1 JAN 1951 DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Sri N.C. Thomas, B.A., Joint Secretary, Board of Revenue, Madras.

Sri V.N. Kudva, I.C.S., Commissioner for Commercial Taxes.

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Read:-

Govt. Memo No. 13384 J/50-1 Development dated 1-3-50.
From the Collector of Bellary No. 2487/50-A1 dated 17-10-50.
Board's Ref.L. 2630/50-3 dated 11-11-50.
Govt.Memo No. 13384 J/50-7 Development dated 11-12-50.

REFERENCE:-

Submitted to the Government.

2. The Collector is being asked to expedite the further report promised by him in his letter cited above.

For Joint Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Development Department, Madras with a copy of Collector's letter) Paras 1 and 2 only.
To the Collector of Bellary (Para 3 only).

vr/29/12.

N.R. 1-2-51

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From

Sri.G.Rami Reddi B.A.,
Collector,Bellary.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Development Dept., Madras.

R.C.No. 2687/50 A.1 dated 17-10-50.

Sir,

Sub:- Mines Mining lease - (Bellary) - Iron ore Hospet - Taluk shrotrium Sankalapuram application of Gadigi Chennappa report submitted.

Ref:- Govt. Memo No.13384 J/50-6 Dev.,Dept., 7-10-50.

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The District Forest Officer Bellary recommends the grant of lease of S.Nos. 115 B (Part) and S.No. 192 of Jambanathanahalli and Kariganur villages respectively classed and ~~Kariganur villages respectively classed~~ as "Reserve Forest" in the Revenue accounts. I have asked him officially to report whether the Forest area of 282-67 acres in shro. Sankalapuram village which is reported to be in the vicinity of the Reserve Forest is or is not included in that area and whether the opinion already offered by him will hold good in respect of this area also.

I shall submit my report by 5-11-50 after obtaining the report of the District Forest Officer,Bellary.

For Collector

A.K. 24/10

Copy submitted to the Secretary,Board of Rev., with the exchange reminder for favour of information.

Dev J.

Memo no. 13384 J/50-8 dated 2-2-57.

Sub: Mines. Mining lease - (Bellary) - Iron Ore - Hospet taluk - Santalapuram Shortcrium - Application of Sri G. Chennappa.

Ref: i) Memo no. 13384 J/50-5 dt 20.6.50.
ii) From the Bd of Rev no. L.2830/50-4 dt 28.12.56

The Board of Revenue is requested to state whether the report has been received of the Collr of Bellary and if so when it reply to the Govt Memo cited may be expected

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TO
The Bd of Rev
R.D. 3.3.57

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Memo No. 13384 J/50-9 of 9-3-57.

Pl. read Q- 9/3 32/ 10/3

Sub: Mines - Mining lease - (Bellary) - Iron Ore - Hospet taluk - Sankalapuram Shrotriem - Application of Sri G. Chennappa

Ref: Govt Memo No 13384 J/50-8 of 2.2.57.

The Board of Revenue is requested to expedite its report.

for 26.5

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Dy 9.3.57

TO

The Board of Revenue (Dev.) 31.3.57

13384 Revenue Department. 29 ST

Subject.

Mining - Mining Lease - Iron ore - (Bellary) - Hospet Tk. - Sanklapuram Shettiram - ~~puram~~ - Application of Sri Gadige Chennappa - Report - Submitted.

Station: Madras. Ref.L.2630/50-6 dated 15-3-51.

From

Sri N.C.Thomas, B.A., Jt. Secretary, Board of Revenue.
Sri V.N.Kudva, ICS., Commissioner of Comml. Taxes.

Dev 3067 5/51 12/3

Read:- From the Collector of Bellary, No.Rd.2487/50-A1 d/10-4-50.
D.O.No.2487/50-A1 dated 21-2-51 from the Collector, Bellary.
Govt. Memo.No.13384-J/50-9, Dev., dated 9-3-51.

REFERENCE:

The Board submits that the Collector of Bellary has reported that the reference is pending with the District Forest Officen, Bellary and that he has been specially reminded to expedite the report. The Collector's report has not yet been received. He is being reminded again today to expedite the report. The Board's report will be submitted on receipt of the Collector's reply.

FIRST ASST. SECRETARY 17 MAR 1951 DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

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For Jt. Secretary.

To The Secretary to Government, Development Dept., (para 1).
" Collector of Bellary (para 2).
k.t.a.15/3.

Dev J.

N.R. 13.4.51

21.3.51.

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Memo No. 13384 J/50-8 10 dated 20-4-57.

Sub: Revn. M.L. (Bellary) - Inam ore: Hospet taluk - Sankalapuram Shrotrium - Application of Sri G. Channappa.

Please see 25/4

29/abc Ref: From the Bd Ryder Memo No. L.2630/50-69 15357

The Bd Ryder is requested to state whether the report of the Coll. of Bellary has been received and if so when its final reply may be expected.

Sd/- 19457 (Shri T.S. Sivaraman)

Sd/- 20/4/57

To The Bd Ryder Rd. 12-5-57

Sd/- 27/4

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Revenue Department.
Subject.
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Dv 50651 J/57

Mining -Mining lease-Iron Ore-Bellary-Hospet taluk-Sankalapuram shrotrium etc -villages -application of Sri G. Chennappa of Bellary report-submitted.

Ref.L.2630.50.8.

Station:Madras. d/3-5-51.

From
Sri N.C.Thomas.B.A., Joint Secretary,
Board of Revenue.
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Sri V.N. Kudva.I.C.S., Commr.of Commrl.Taxes.

Read: From the Collector of Bellary,Rc.no.2487.50A.1 d/4-4-51.
Board(s Ref.L.2630.50.7 d/19-4-51.
From the Government,memo no.13384.J.50.1 Dev d/20.4.51.

Reference.

1.The Board submits that the Collector of Bellary has been asked to send the application of sri G. Chennappa of Bellary for the renewal of the certificate of approval for the year 1951,and a combined sketch of the plot applied for on mining lease. The Collector is being reminded today to expedite them .The Board's reply will be submitted as soon as they are received from the Collector.

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For Joint Secretary.

To The Secretary to Government, Development Department.
Madras.(para 1 only.)

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FIRST ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVT. DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT 7 MAY 1961

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Memo no. B3384 J/50-11 Dated 15.6.57.

Subt: Mines. M.L. (Bellary) - Iron ore.
Hospet taluk - Santalapuram Shotnum
Application of Sri S. Chennappa

Minute 9 16/6

Ref. From the Bt of Rev ifno. L. 2830/50-8 Dated 3.5.57

p31 above

The Bd of Rev is requested to state whether the report of the Coll of Bellary has been received and if so when its final reply may be expected

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To The Bd of Rev
Mp 9/19/6 R.D. 4-757

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Revenue Department.

Subject.

Mining - Mining lease - Iron ore - (Bellary) - Hospet Taluk - Sankalapuram shrotriem etc. villages - Application of Sri G. Chennappa of Bellary - Report - Called for.

Station: Madras. Ref.L.2630/50-9 dated 26-6-51.

From

Sri N.C.Thomas, B.A., Jt. Secretary,
Board of Revenue.
Sri V.N.Kudva, ICS., Commissioner of Commercial Taxes.

Read:- From the Collector of Bellary. No.Rc.2487/50-A1 dated 10-4-51.
Govt. Memo.No.13384-J/50-5, Dev., dated 20-6-50.
From the Collector of Bellary, No.Rc.2487/50-A1 dated 29-6-51.
Govt.Memo.No.13384-J/50-11, Dev., dated 15-6-51.

REFERENCE:

The Collector is requested to report urgently whether the applicant has submitted a separate application for the plot of 492-80 acres in S.No.192 of Kariganur village, Hospet Taluk, as it appears to be a different block, and if not, direct the applicant to submit a separate application crediting Rs.200/- towards application fee and the necessary security deposit for preliminary expenses with reference to the instructions issued in G.O.Ms.No.349, Dev., dated 24-1-51.

For Jt. Secretary.

To The Collector of Bellary.
Copy to the Secretary to Government, Development Dept., Madras.
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Please see p41 ante. The Board may be reminded on 3.8.57 if necessary.

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.
Subject.

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MINING - Mining Lease - Iron ore - (Bellary) - Hospet taluk - Sankalapuram - Shrotrium etc. villages - Application of Sri G. Chennappa of Bellary - Report - Submitted.

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Station: Madras. Ref.L. 2630/50-10 dt. 1.2.1951.

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From

Sri M.C. Thomas, B.A., Joint Secretary, Board of Revenue.

Sri V.N. Kudva, I.C.S., Commissioner of Commercial Taxes.

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READ: Board's Ref.L. 2630/50-1 dated 25.4.50. p9 abve
Board's Ref.L. 2630/50-4 dated 28.12.50. p23 abve
From the Collector of Bellary, No.R.C.2487/50 A1 dated 4.4.51. A.1
Government Memo.No. 13384/J/50-11 Development dated 15.6.51. 35-3 p32 abve
From the Collector of Bellary No.R.C. 2487/50 A1 dated 19.7.51. B.1 38 below

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REFERENCE:

Submitted to the Government.

2. The Board recommends that a mining lease for Iron ore over an extent of 140.23 acres in S.Nos. 11,113, 114 Part and 115 B (Part) in Jambunathanahalli village and 492.80 acres in Kariganur village may be granted to Sri G. Chennappa of Bellary for a period of 30 years subject to the general conditions mentioned in sub-rule (1) of Rule 41 of the Mineral concession Rules 1949 and also to the special conditions in Sub-rule (2) of the same rule as drafted and finalised in G.O.Ms. No. 870 Development dated 26.2.51.

(C)

for JOINT SECRETARY.

To The Secretary to Government,
Development Department, Madras
(with application, chalan and sketches)

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Copy of R.C.No. 2487/50 A.1 dated 4.4.51 of the Collector, Bellary.

Sub: Mines - Mining lease - Iron ore (Bellary) - Hospet taluk - Jambunathanahalli, Kariganur and Shrotrium Sankalapuram villages Application of Sri G. Chennappa - Proposals submitted.

A. p15 abve
Ref: Government Memo.No. 13384-J/50-5 dated 20.6.1950.
p29 abve 2. Ref.L. 2630/50-6 dated 15.3.1951 from the Board of Revenue, Madras.

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p3 of (A) Sri G. Chennappa of Bellary has applied for the grant of mining lease for 30 years to mine Iron ore over an extent of 915.70 acres comprising the following S.Nos. in Jambunathanahalli, Kariganur and shrotrium Sankalapuram village of Hospet taluk.

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Jambunathanahalli	S.No.11	Unassessed waste	7.50
	,, 113	,,	2.10
	,, 114 part	,,	74.00
	,, 115 B part		56.63
			140.23
Karigannur	,, 192		492.80492.80
Shrotrium Sankalapuram surveyed area			282.67
			915.70

The applicant in his letter dated 8.5.50 expressed his desire to take on lease the revised extents as mentioned above in S.No. 115 B (Part) of Jambunathanahalli village and S.No. 192 of Karigannur village against the original extents of acres 80.00 and 492.00 acres respectively.

Out of five survey numbers applied for by the applicant, only S.Nos. 115-B of Jambunathanahalli and S.No. 192 of Karigannur village are classed as 'Reserve Forest' in the Revenue Accounts. The District Forest Officer, Bellary who was consulted in the matter reports that there is no objection to grant the two survey numbers on lease as they contain very poor tree growth.

Regarding the surveyed area of 282.67 acres in shrotrium Sankalapuram village, I submit the following facts:--

The village has been notified under the Rent Reduction Act, 1947 in G.O. Rt. 2607/50 dated 24.3.1950. It has also been declared as an 'inam estate' by the Settlement Officer, Chittoor, under the Madras Estates (Abolition and conversion into Ryotwari) Act, 1948. The provisions of the Rent Reduction Act, 1947 are being applied in respect of all ryoti lands in this shrotrium village.

The area of 282.67 acres applied for by the applicant ~~by the applicant~~ in this village has been surveyed and has tree growth. It comprises paimash Nos. 51, 52 and parts of 50 and 53. The Tahsildar, Hospet reports that the area in question is situated within the shrotrium village limits and belongs to the shrotriundar. It is not therefore at the disposal of the Government. The District Forest Officer, Bellary who was consulted in the matter also states that the area of 282.67 acres is purely a private land, and is outside the Reserve Forest limits. In the circumstances, it seems to be desirable to eliminate this area and action taken under chapter V of the Mineral Concession Rules, 1949. The applicant will be asked to apply to the shrotriundar for a mining lease over this area.

The applicant has already applied for the renewal of the certificate of approval for 1951 and it is under correspondence. Proposals for its renewal will be submitted soon.

In the circumstances, I recommend that the lease applied for by the applicant may be granted for a period of 30 years to mine iron ore over an extent of 633.03 acres only in Jambunathanahalli and Karigannur villages subject to the General Conditions mentioned in sub rule (1) of rule 41 ~~of rule 41~~ of the Mineral Concession Rules, 1949 and also the special conditions enumerated in sub rule (2) of rule 41 of the said rules as drafted and finalised in G.O. Ms. No. 870 Development Department dated 26.2.1951 (in respect of the lease granted to Sri K. Narayaniah of Bellary).

A copy of letter No.Nil dated 8.5.1950 of Sri G. Channappah and copies of R.C.No. 888/50 H.3 dated 16.9.1950 and 2830 H.3 dated 2.5.1951 of the Dist. Forest Officer, Bellary are enclosed. A copy of the combined sketch showing the revised area applied for has been called for from the applicant and the same will be submitted soon.

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Copy of letter No. 8.5.1950 of Gadigi Mineral Mining Co., Bellary to the District Collector, Bellary.

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With reference to your memo C.No. 2487/50 A.1 dated 10.4.50 I desire to have covered by least the area of 56-63 acres and 492-80 acres and covered by S.Nos. 115-B and 192 of Jambunathanahalli and Kariganur villages in the Hospet taluk.

I shall be much obliged if this is expedited as we are being pressed by foreign buyers for supplies.

Sd. G. Chennappa.

(True Copy)

Copy of Rc.No. 888/50 H.3 dated 16.9.50 of the Dist. Forest Officer, Bellary to the Collector, Bellary.

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Office Note.

Sub: Mines.- Mining lease - (Bellary) Iron - ore Hospet taluk - Sankalapuram etc. - village - grant of.

Ref: Your Rc. No. 2487/50 A 1 dated 10.4.1950 and D.O. dated 29.6.50.

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The area in question lies in the supervision panchayat R.F.s of Hospet Range. As th site consists of very poor type of growth the grant of the lease is recommended.

(True Copy)

Copy of letter No. 2830/50 H.3 dated 2.3.51 of the District Forest Officer, Bellary to the Collector, Bellary.

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Office note

Sub: Mines - Mining lease - (Bellary) - Iron ore Hospet taluk - Shro Sankalapuram village - application of Sri G. Chennappa- report - submitted.

Ref: Your No. 2487/50 A.1 dated 17.10.1950 and 26.12.1950.

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A copy of Hospet Range Officer's C.No. 13/1 d/ 15.1.51 is herewith enclosed.

My previous recommendation in respect of S.Nos. 115-B and 192 does not hold good in respect of 282.67 acres now applied by the party as the present area is outside the R.F. limits.

The sketch sent by you is enclosed.

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Copy of Rc.No. 13/51 d/ 15.1.51 from the Range Officer, Hospet to the Dt. Forest Officer, Bellary.

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Copy of Rc.No. 13/51 d/ 15.1.1951 from the ~~Range Officer~~, Hospet to the Dt. Forest Officer, ~~Bellary~~.

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Sub: Mines - Mining Lease (Bellary) Iron ore - Hospet taluk - Shrotrium Sankalapuram village - application of Sri G. Chennappa report submitted.

Ref: D.F.O.'s Rc.No. 2830/50 H.3 dated 10.1.51.

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With reference to the above, I beg to submit that Sankalapur shrotrium does not form part of either S.No. 115-B of Jambunathanahalli village or S.No. 192 of Kariganur village R.F.s. The area recommended for the mining lease is confined only to above S.Nos. and this will not hold good for the shortrium area since it is purely a private land.

The sketch sent along with the above reference is herewith resubmitted.

/True Copy/

(P.T.O.)

Copy of R.C.No. 2487/50.A.1 dated 19.7.51 of the Collector, Bellary.

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Sir,

Sub: Mining - M.L. - Iron ore (Bellary) - Hospet Taluk - Sankalapuram shrotrium etc. villages - Application of Sri. Chennappa of Bellary - Further report submitted

Ref; Ref.L. 2630/50-9 d/ 26.6.51 from the Board of Revenue Madras.

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I enclose a separate application for the plot of 492.80 acres in S.No. 192 of Kariganur village of Hospet taluk applied for by Sri G. Chennappa of Bellary as it is situated in a different block.

2. The applicant has already remitted a sum of Rs. 700/- in chalan Nos. 688 and 689/13-2-50 in the Bellary Sub Treasury as already reported in this office R.C.No. 2487/50 dated 10.4.50. According to the instructions contained in G.O.Ms. No. 349 Development department dated 24.1.51, the applicant has to remit in all, Rs. 1100/- for two separate applications in respect of the areas applied for by him in Jambunathanahalli and Kariganur villages as shown below --

	Application fee Rs.	Area applied for Acs.	Preliminary expenses Rs.
Jambunathanahalli village	200/-	140-23	200/-
Kariganur village	200/-	492-80	500/-
TOTAL:	400/-	-	700/-

The applicant has now remitted the balance of Rs. 400/- in chalan No. 1740/14.7.51 in the Bellary Sub Treasury.

The application and the chalan for Rs. 400/- are enclosed.

/True Copy/

for JOINT SECRETARY.

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Development (J) Department.

[Cno 13384 J/50] Mines - Mining lease - Iron ore (Bellary) Hospet taluk - Jambunathahalli village - S.No. 11,113,114 & 115 - 140.23 acres - grant to - Sri G. Chennappa - Sanctioned.

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Hospet

Read:

From the Board of Revenue Ref: No. L. 2630/50-10 Dated 1.8.51.

G.O. MS. NO. 3811 DATED 28-8-51

The Government sanction the grant to Sri Gadigi Chennappa ~~~ of a mining lease for Iron ore for a period of thirty years over an extent of 140-23 acres in S.No. 11,113,114 & 115 of Jambunathahalli village, Hospet taluk Bellary District subject to the conditions mentioned in sub-rule (1) of rule 41 of the Mineral Concession Rules, 1949, and also to the following conditions:

(i) the lessee shall pay rents and royalties in the Government Treasury, ~~~ before the 10th January of every year;

(ii) ~~The~~ lessee shall pay before the expiry of the lease, or its sooner determination by either party, an amount equal to the annual dead rent or such higher amount as may be fixed by the Collector of the District in his discretion, as compensation for damage to the land covered by the ~~xxxxxx~~ lease.

~~(iii) the lessee shall not fell trees if any without~~ the previous permission of the Collector and if it is found ~~that he has felled any trees without such permission he shall~~ pay the .....

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~~pay the value of the trees together with a compounding fee subject to a maximum of 10 times the value of the said trees.~~

(iii) ~~(iv)~~ the lessee shall not operate on the surface of any area prohibited by any authority by laying out roads, erecting buildings, machinery, etc. without the previous permission of such authority or the State Government.

(iv) ~~(v)~~ the lessee shall not use land for surface occupation without giving proper notice to the Collector,

(v) ~~(vi)~~ the lessee shall provide and shall keep at all times at or near the pit head full equipment of weighing machines of modern type to the satisfaction of the collector for weighing the minerals collected by him,

(vi) ~~(vii)~~ ~~xxxxx~~ The lessee will exercise the liberties and powers hereby granted in such a manner as to offer no un-necessary or reasonably avoidable obstruction or interruption to the development and working of any minerals not included in this lease and will at all times afford to the Governor and to the holder of prospecting ~~xxxx~~ licences or mining leases in respect of any such minerals or any minerals within any lands adjacent to the said lands reasonable means of access and safe and convenient passage upon and across the said lands to such minerals for the purpose of getting, working developing and carrying away the ~~xxxxx~~ same,

(vii) ~~(viii)~~ the lessee shall take such precautions as are necessary to secure pits and shafts by putting up wire fencing or such other protection to the satisfaction of the Collector to prevent accidents.

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(viii) ~~(ix)~~ that on the occurence of any accident, the lessee shall report, such accident immediately to the nearest police station/the nearest ~~xxx~~ Factory Inspector and the Labour Commissioner.

(ix) ~~(x)~~ the lessee shall execute an indemnity bond to Government against the claims of third parties.

(x) ~~(xi)~~ the lessee will at the expiration or sooner determination of the said term deliver upto the Governor all mines, pits shafts, including drifts, levels, waterways, airways and other work (now existing) hereafter to be sunk or made under the said lands (except such as may have been abandoned with the sanction of the Governor or in any ordinary and fair course of working) and all (engines, machinery plant, buildings, structures and other works and conveniences ~~xxxx~~/which at the commencement of the said term were upon or under the said lands and all) engines, machinery, plant and fixtures set up by the lessee below ground level which cannot be removed without causing injury to any mines or works under the said lands (except such of the same as may with the sanction of the Governor have become ~~xxxxxxxx~~/disused) and all buildings and structures of brick or stone erected by the lessee above ground level in good repair order and condition and fit in all respects for further working of the said minerals.

(xi) ~~(xii)~~ ~~xx~~/If after the determination of the lease there shall remain in or upon the said lands any engines machinery, plant buildings structures tramways, railways and other works erections and conveniences or minerals or mineral ores or other property which the lessee is entitled to remove from the said lands the ~~xxxx~~/same shall, if not removed by the lessee within one ~~xxxx~~ calendar month after notice in writing/requiring their removal is given to the lessee by the Collector be deemed to become the property of the

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Government of Madras and may be sold and disposed of for the benefit of the Government of Madras in such manner as they shall deem fit without liability to pay any compensation or to account to the ~~lessee~~ lessee in respect thereof.

(xii) ~~(xiii)~~ In the event of the existence of a ~~state~~ state or of war/of grave national emergency (of which the President of India shall be the sole judge and a notification to this effect in the Gazette of India shall be the conclusive proof) the Government after notice in writing to the lessee under the hand of any Secretary to Government of his intention so to do may forthwith take possession or assume control of the works, plant and machinery and premises of the lessee at or in connection with the said mines and may ~~pre-empt~~ pre-empt at prices fixed by the Governor all the minerals (and all products thereof) extracted from or lying upon the said mines during such possession or control and the lessee shall conform and obey all directions given by or on behalf of the Governor regarding the use or employment of such works, plants, premises provided that a fair compensation which shall be determined by the Governor and shall be paid to the lessee for all loss or damage sustained by reasons or in consequence of the ~~exercise~~ exercise of the powers conferred by this clause; provided also that the exercise of such powers shall not determine the ~~said~~ said term hereby granted or affect the terms and provisions of these presents further than may be necessary to give effect to the provisions of this clause.

(xiii) ~~(xiv)~~ (a) the ~~licensee~~ lessee shall not enter upon or commence ~~prospecting~~ mining operations in any reserve forest situate upon the said lands without ~~thirty~~ thirty days previous notice in writing to the District Forest Officer

nor without .....

nor without obtaining the written sanction of that officer nor otherwise than in accordance with such condition as that officer may in his absolute discretion prescribe.

(b) the area without the reserved forest limits must be demarcated by a declared fire line of ~~#~~ 40 ft. wide which will be cut and kept cleared by the Forest Department at the expense of the ~~lessee~~ lessee.

(c) the ~~lessee~~ must at all times permit the Forest Department to enter upon the land for the purpose of maintaining or repairing existing boundary lines within the area and must pay the cost of such maintenance or repair ~~as~~ as determined by the District Forest Officer.

(d) the ~~lessee~~ must take suitable precautions to prevent fires from spreading into the adjoining reserve forest from the land and if such fires accidentally occur he must render all possible assistance in putting them out.

(e) the ~~lessee~~ shall not cut any trees or growth on the area granted in excess of 20 per cent of the number of trees on the whole area under the ~~lease~~ without the previous permission of the D.F.O. and the value of such treets etc. shall be paid for ~~thr~~ by the ~~lessee~~ at rates to be fixed by the District Forest Officer. He must not deface or interfere with any boundary stone or marks; if any boundary mark is accidentally damaged, he must bring ~~it~~ the matter immediately to the notice of the Range Officer.

(xiv) (xv) The lessee should keep the stocks of beryl or any other prescribed substance under section 3 of the Atomic Energy Act, No.XXIX of 1948, if they occur in the property covered by the lease with a view to making them available to the Government of India.

2. The rates of ~~xxx~~ royalty, dead rent and surface .....

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surface rent shall be as follows:

Royalty (a) used for extraction of iron — A8/- per ton
(b) used for other purposes — Re 1/- per ton

Dead Rent :- Rupees 5/- (Rupees five only) per acre per annum.

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SURFACE RENT: At such rate as the land revenue and cesses assessable on the land are paid.

3. The applicant should pay a deposit of Rs. ~~500/-~~ 1000/- as prescribed in rule 36 of the Mineral Concession Rules, 1949, before the lease is actually executed.

4. The form of the lease deed is being drafted separately and the terms and conditions stated in the above paragraphs are subject to such further modifications, additions and alterations as may be included in the lease deed when finalised.

~~5. Pending the execution of the lease deed in the~~ proper form, the Government have no objection to the lessee starting mining operations after giving an undertaking

(1) to abide by the above conditions and also the conditions governing the lease which will be hereafter prescribed by the Government and

(2) to give possession of the land to Government if so required by them at any time before the execution of the lease deed without liability to pay any compensation to him for any expenditure ~~incurred~~ incurred by him and

(3) after paying an additional security deposit ~~of Rs. 500 for the due fulfilment of these conditions.~~

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6. The Collector of Bellary is requested to take .....

take necessary further action.

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To the Board of Revenue. with flag (A)
To the Collector of Bellary
To Sri Gadigi Chennappa
Proprietor Gadigi Mining Co
& Gadigi Builds
Bellary

Spare copies 2.

C.B. entry against 30-11-57 for executing the lease deed and the indemnity bond.

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Mines - Mining lease - (Bellary) - Iron ore - Hospet-taluk - Sankarapuram Shrotrium

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Form M/s Gadigi Mining Company No mic 9 2 50

(3) Ans.

Please see the letter at pp 1-2 of. may be perused. The applicant company refers to certain proceedings of the Collector. It is not known what orders were passed by him and whether any lease is admissible at all if the land does not belong to the Govt. The Collector

maybe asked to about this. The draft memo at pp 1-2 above is submd. for approval.

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Under what provision could the collector have granted an 'interim' lease in this case last year!

B Should not this reference go to the Collector through the Board?

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Todo (As queried above) 25/2

A above: Under Rule 16-A of the Prov. Coal Rules, the Collector of a district was competent to allow an applicant to carry on mining operations, after

excercising a tentative agreement, in the area over which an application for a Prospecting licence was made to him. From the letter at ph 1-2 of it is not clear that the area applied for is Govt. land. It appears that the area is Statutory and there is no information as to how far a Collector can exercise his powers over statutories.

B on p 3 above: As to point sought for clarification is whether the area is at the disposal of the Govt for admitting the application at ph 7-9 of., the reference need not perhaps go through the BD: of Rv. A copy may however be sent

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to the Bd. of Revenue. Necessary alterations have been made in the draft

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Pp 7-8 CF (Issued as Memo no 13384 J/50-1 dt 1-3-50)
Pp 9-11 CF From the Collr of Bellary no 2482/50 A1. dt 10/2/50

A:- Please see the memo on pp 7-8 CF and the Collector letter on pp 9-11 CF. The original letter submitted through the Board may be awaited till 13.5.50.

Q 19/5/50 Ku 19.5.50

R. 15/5/50

Pp 1-7 CF (Bd of Rev. Ref L. 2630/50-1 dated 26.4.50)

To A.S

Notes on Pp 2-5 above and the report of the Collector of Bellary

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at Pgs 9-11 Cl. may be perused. The Note applied for (by Sri Chennappa) on mining lease ~~as follows:~~ as given by the Coll. are as follows:

1.	Jambunathana Halli village.	S.Nos. 11, 113, 114 (Part), 115.B (Part).	163-00
2.	Karigannu.	S.No. 192.	192-00
3.	Shri. Sankalapur.	Forest area	282-00
	-do-	Unsurveyed Block	470-00

A Cl. 13 Cl

From the Collector's report at Pgs 9-11 Cl it will be seen that the plot in B on 15 Cl item (3) above is in Shoolem which has not yet been taken over by the Govt. under the Abolition

Act, 1948. The application of Sri Chennappa so far as the plots in items (1) & (2) of A above are concerned may be admitted as having been filed before the Govt. on ~~13-2-50~~ 16.2.50. An acknowledgement may be given to the applicant and entries made in the Registers of M.Ls. A draft acknowledgment is submitted for approval.

~~A decision regarding the application may be examined further~~

The Collector's further report mentioned in para 3 of his letter dt. 14 cf may be awaited before a further examination is made as requested in (3) of his application. Meanwhile the applicant may be informed about the position.

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(Orders above)

A reference is solicited to the portion 'B' of the Collr's letter at flag A. No interference is called for by the Govt in the applicant getting the lease from the Bhattiendal and the Bhattiendal may himself grant the licence or lease under Rules in Ch. V of the Mineral Concession Rules, 1949

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on an application being made to him. The applicant may perhaps be informed that he may apply to the Shrotriemdar so far as his applin. for a mining lease over the area referred to in item 3 on p 6 above is concerned. A revised draft memo is subd. for approval.

D. 10.5.50

Revenue may see before issue

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Dev. memo. 13384 J/50-2 1455

Rev. Dept.

To A.S.

The file has been sent to this dept. with refce to the question of leasing 752.67 acres of land in Shrotriem Sanklapur village, Hospet Taluk, Bellary district. Out of 752.67 acres of land applied for by the applicant on mining lease, 470 acres are reported to be unsurveyed dry land, and the remaining 282.67 acres are reported to be forest area. As regards the lease of 470 acres of land unsurveyed dry land, the Coll. has recommended that the lands may be given on lease to the applicant in accordance with the Mineral Concession Rules. As regards the balance of 282.67 acres of forest land, the Coll. has stated that he is asking the Tahsildar, Hospet to report if the lands in question are at the disposal of the Govt. or the shrotriemdar, and his further report in the matter has not yet been received. Dev. have now proposed to inform the applicant above

Dy. 309999/M 13/7/50

} p 15 c f

} Dist p 4 up p 15 c f

p. 8 ante to apply to the Collector for a lease over the area in Tanklapur village under the Mineral Concession Rules. As it has been reported that the 282.67 acres applied for by the applicant are forest lands, ~~for purposes of Sch XXVII of 1947 and XIV of 1950, the permission~~ ~~of the Govt. of India is necessary for leasing the lands in question. With these remarks, the file may be returned to Dev~~ para 2 of the typ memo. by Dev. 19.5.50 cannot refer to the entire extent of 752.67 acres & can have reference only to the unsurveyed block of 470 acres. The question of leasing the rest of the area viz 282.67 acres of forest land has to be examined only after the further report referred to at M on p 15-C is received.

Dev. may therefore be requested to amend para 2 of their draft suitably in the light of the foregoing remarks."

Dev 19.5.50

Dev 24.5.50

Rev. No. 30999 M/50-I 24.5.50.

Dev 24/5

Dev (J)

45879 T/W Dw 25/5

To A-S.

(This Dept's notes on pp 5-8 above).

Revenue notes on pp 8-9 above may be perused: the draft memo has been amended suitably with reference to the Rev. notes above. It may now issue.

31.5.50 by 31-5-50

Sri G. Chennappa of Messrs.Gadigi Mining Company, Bellary, has applied for a mining lease for iron ore for a period of 30 years over the following areas:-

Name of the village.		S.No.	Area. Acres	Cents.	
(1) 96. Jambunathana Halli		11 ..	7	50	
		113 ..	2	10	A.C.
		114 (Part)	74	00	163 60
		115.B.(Part)	80	00	
(2) 72. Kariganur	Forest Reserve 572	192	492	00	
(3) 73. Shrotrium village. Sanklapur		Forest area.	282	67	752.67
do.		Unsurveyed block	470	00	

The first two items of these lands are lands at the disposal of the Government while the lands under item (3) are Shrotrium lands. In his report on pp.13-15 c.f. the Collector of Bellary has given an account of certain facts relating to these lands. He has stated there that S.No.115.B in item (1) above and S.No.192 in item (2) above are forest reserve and that he has called for the opinion of the D.F.O. as to whether a mining lease could be granted over this area. In regard to the lands forming item (3) which form part of a Shrotrium village, the Collector has stated that this village has not yet been taken over by Govt. under the Abolition Act of 1948. The Collector has not, however, reported yet as to whether a mining lease could be granted over the remaining area ie. an extent of 163.60 acres in item (1) which is the land at the disposal of the Government but is outside forest reserve. There seems to be, however, no objection to acknowledge the application of Sri Chennappa, so far as lands included in items (1) and (2) ie. 163.60 acres in Jambunathana Halli and an extent of 492 acres in Kariganur in item (2). This may be done 3-6-50

As regards the Shrotrium lands in item (3), the Collector has not yet sent a final report as to whether the forest area of 282.67 acres is land at the disposal of the Govt. or the Shrotriumdar and has promised to send a further report on the subject. There remains the unsurveyed

block in the Shrotrium village, 470 acres in extent included in this item. The Collector has stated that this area has not yet been taken over by Government under the Abolition Act, 1948. It is open, therefore, to the applicant under the rules in chapter V of the Mineral Concession Rules, 1949, to apply to the Shrotriumdar for a mining lease over this area.

There is, however, another question connected with this land. In paragraph 2 of his report on pp.13-14 c.f., the Collector has reported that this area was placed in possession of the applicant on his executing a tentative agreement on 25-1-1949 under rule 16-A of the rules in chapter VI of the Madras Mining Manual (page 62), but that after the new Mineral Concession Rules came into force he was asked to submit a fresh application. The action taken by the Collector does not appear to be correct. The rule under which he entered into an agreement with Sri Chennappa is applicable to lease of lands at the disposal of Government. In regard to Shrotrium villages, it is for the Shrotriumdar to apply to the Collector for permission to lease out the right to carry out mining operations in his land and, on obtaining such a permission, to enter into an agreement with Government for the purpose along with his lessee -- vide rule 18-B in Chapter V of the Mining Manual (page 53). Whether it was correct or not on the part of the Collector to have entered into a tentative agreement with Sri Chennappa and permitted him to carry on mining operations temporarily in this land in a Shrotrium village, it does not appear that such an agreement will be binding on Government-not only in view of clause 6 of that agreement but also in view of the fact that the new Mining Concession Rules are now in force and under these Rules the State Govt. have no right to lease lands not at their disposal. It seems preferable that this position is also made clear to the applicant in acknowledging his application for a

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mining lease over the other areas.

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Notes from the bottom of page above may be perused.
A draft memo is submitted for approval.

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As/ [Previous notes need not be read]

Sri Gadigi Chennappa has applied for the grant of a mining lease for iron ore for a period of 30 years over an extent 915-70 acres over the following areas in Hospet taluk, Bellary district —

I Srs. 11, 113, 114 & 115 of Jambunatha halli vge in Hospet taluk measuring 140-23 acres;

II Srs. 192 of Kariganur of Hospet taluk measuring 492-80 acres; and

III Sankalapuram Shrotrium in Hospet taluk measuring 282-67 acres

It has been reported that the area refered to in item III above is situated within shrotrium village limits and belongs to the Shrotriumdar. As the area is purely a private land the Collector has stated that he will ask the applicant to apply to the Shrotriumdar.

As regards item II above relevant extract have been taken for separate action

This file relates to item I above. The area applied for is classed as Reserve Forest with poor tree growth. The Forest Deptt have no objection to the grant of the lease over the area. The applicant has remitted a sum of Rs 400/- towards deposit for meeting the preliminary expenses and holds a valid certificate of Approval for the year 1951. According the rate of deposit

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fixed in GoMs 324 Dev Dt 24.1.57 the applicant need pay only Rs 200/- as the area applied is less than 200 acres in extent. The excess of Rs 200/- may be adjusted towards application fees. For orders

The Collector has recommended the grant of the lease subject to the Special conditions imposed in GoMs 870 Dev Dt 26.2.57 and the Board has agreed with the Collector. The conditions recommended may be adopted if it is decided to grant the lease.

Acending to Rule 36 an applicant before the lease is issued deposit as security a sum of Rs 1000/- in the case of metalliferous minerals and Rs 500/- in the case of other minerals for the due observance of the terms and conditions. The mineral applied for is Iron ore and is a metalliferous mineral. The applicant may therefore be charged a security deposit of Rs 1000/- for orders.

In the circumstances it is for orders whether the recommendations of the Bd will be accepted and a lease granted for a period of 30 years subject to the special conditions discussed above.

Subject to orders a draft order is submitted for approval

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A/ Orders in circulation on p 14 above may be perused. Necessary entries have been made in the Regr of mining Concessions. The draft order below may now issue.

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